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CLEVELAND TIRED.

Mr. Benedict Talks Freely
About Third Term Matters.

SAYS THE PRESIDENT COUNTS
THE MONTHS TO THE
TIME WHEN HE WILL
BE FREE.

The Pope's Vitality Declining.
HE GETS UP AT NIGHT.

Cardinal's Congregation Decree.
AGAINST SECRET SOCIETIES.

Municipal Mal-Administration.

TOLEDO OFFICIAL INDICTED.

THIRD TERM TALK.

Mr. Benedict Thinks Mr. Cleveland Won't
Accept A Fourth Nomination.

[Special dispatch to the Transcript.]
NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—E. C. Benedict
was seen today regarding the statement
published on his authority that President
Cleveland would not consent to stand for
a third term. Mr. Benedict said to a re-
porter, "All I have said or can say in
reference to President Cleveland views to
a third term is inferential. I infer from
what he has repeatedly said that he is
impatient to be rid of all official
affairs and unwilling to have them
prolonged under any circumstances. I
once said to him 'I am spilling your
chances for a third term, I am telling you
people you will not accept.' He did not seem
much interested and said, 'Go ahead.' I
don't believe he can be prevailed upon to
accept the nomination the fourth time."

"It is not a secret to anybody who
knows Mr. Cleveland well as to his views
on this subject. He has been counting
the months until he can be free of the
trammels of public affairs. He feels, and
he told me so, in fact he has told many of
his friends so, that he was a great fool
to accept the presidency the second
time. He said, 'I have had
enough of victory and defeat and
that is all I may have in this world. He
has thought this over since he entered
upon his second term.'"

Have you ever questioned the president
directly upon the third question, was
asked.

No answer.

Mr. Benedict said you don't always
have to ask questions to get answers. Col-
lateral matters sometimes answer.

THE POPE'S CONDITION.

Gets Up Nights to Record Latin Couplets
Which Fatigue Him.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
LONDON, Eng., Nov. 27.—The Rome cor-
respondent of the Fall Mall Gazette is in-
formed by a prelate on intimate relations
with the Pope that the recent illness of
His Holiness was due to lack of vitality, which condition is
increasing. There is no cause for im-
mediate alarm, he says, but it is difficult
to keep the Pope in good health, owing to
his habit of getting out of bed nights
whenever some Latin couplet comes to his
mind which he wishes to record. In ad-
dition to this the long audiences which he
gives daily fatigue him greatly.

CITY MAL-ADMINISTRATION.

A Grand Jury Finds Verdict Against Ex-
Official of Toledo.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
TOLEDO, O., Nov. 27.—The grand jury
which has been investigating the alleged
mal-administration of local municipal af-
fairs, has returned indictments against
ex-City Engineer Miller and C. W. Mc
Kinny, contractor. The ex-engineer is
charged with preparing and McKinny
with receiving false estimates.

DURANT'S CASE AGAIN.

Comes Up for Arguments Today and Won't
be Settled for Several Days.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 27.—The
case of Theodore Durant, convicted
nearly thirty days ago of murdering
Blanche Lamont, who is still uncondemned,
came up today for the third time
since the verdict of the jury. Durant's
attorneys have voluminous objections to
present and it is expected that this with
argument of States Attorney Barnes in
opposition to the new trial will occupy
several days.

DUMAS' CASE HOPELESS.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
PARIS, Nov. 27.—The condition of Alex-
ander Dumas this morning was utterly
hopeless. The great author is rapidly
declining.

AGAINST SECRET SOCIETIES.

The Congregation of Cardinals issue a
Decree in Strong Terms.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
ROME, Nov. 27.—The congregation of
Cardinals has issued a new decree, couched
in strong terms, against secret societies in
the United States.

BALFOUR GUILTY OF FRAUD.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
LONDON, Nov. 27.—Jabez Spencer Bal-
four has been found guilty of fraud in con-
nection with house and land invested
trust and with his associates will be sen-
tenced tomorrow.

WELL KNOWN ACTOR DEAD.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Nov. 27.—E. B.
Laurie, a well known actor and manager
died here last evening of consumption.
He had supported Booth, Warde, James
and McWade. He came to the coast about
four years ago for his health.

SCHOONERS STOP VOYAGING.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]
VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 27.—Sixty odd
owners of sealing schooners adopted resolu-
tions last night to defer operations until
next August, owing to the poor results of
the spring sealing voyage.

New York Market.

[Closing Quotations, 9 p. m.]

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American Sugar	96 1/4
Achison	17 3/4
American Tobacco	81 1/2
B. & O.	55 1/2
Canada Southern	108 1/2
Central of New Jersey	108 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	18 1/2
Hocking Valley	107
Chicago & North Western	87 1/2
C. & N. Y.	62 1/2
Rock Island	75 1/2
Chicago, St. P., M. & O.	42 1/2
N. C. & St. L.	101 1/2
Con. Gas	148 1/4
Del. & Hudson	127 1/4
Del. & N. Y.	105 1/2
Gen. Electric	101 1/4
Ill. Cent.	152
L. & N. H.	54 1/2
Manhattan Elevated	101 1/2
M. & E. T. Co.	13 1/4
M. K. & T. P.	80 1/2
Missouri Pacific	80 1/2
National Lead	30 1/2
New England	100 1/2
N. Y. Central	138 1/2
Ont. & West.	15
P. & N. Y. & N. E.	32 1/2
No. Pacific pref.	30 1/2
Pacific Mail	10 1/2
Phil. & Reading	10 1/2
Pullman	10 1/2
Southern Railway	10 1/2
Ten. Coal & Iron	33 1/2
Texas Pacific	91 1/2
Union Pacific	85 1/2
U. S. Rubber	101 1/2
U. S. Leather common	10 1/2
Wabash pref.	68 1/2
Western Union	138 1/2
Wheeling & Lake Erie	14 1/2

Chicago Markets.

Wheat—Dec. 86 1/2, May 60.

Corn—Dec. 20 1/2, May 20 1/2.

Oats—Dec. 17 1/2, May 20 1/2.

Pork—Jan. 8.80, May 8.50.

Lard—Jan. May 8.25.

Cotton.

Open: Dec. 8.40, Jan. 8.44, May 8.62.

Closing: Dec. 8.30, Jan. 8.34, May 8.52.

THE DAILY TRANSCRIPT WILL NOT

be issued tomorrow. Thanksgiving

day, and the WEEKLY TRANSCRIPT

will appear Friday instead of Thurs-
day this week.

TO CLOSE THE BIJOU.

Steps Taken to Revoke Its License Be-
cause of Objectionable Performances.

An effort is being made to shut up
the Bijou theatre because of the objectionable
performances that are being given on its
stage.
Of late the suggestive acts and dialogue
of the actresses and actors have brought
forth familiar remarks from some of the
audience which have evaded in rows. The
police were called in the other night to
suppress a scuffle that occurred from such
a beginning and one of the men who was
arrested was fined the next morning for
drunkenness. The managers of the theatre
for reasons that are obvious did not
appear against him. Yesterday one of
the selectmen notified the police that the
license of the theatre had been revoked
and Manager Hanley was also notifi-
ed. Chief Fuller, it seems, told
the management of the house
not to play again or arrests would follow.
The aid of lawyers was obtained by the
theatre people and it was found that the
revocation of the license had only been
ordered and not legally consummated. The
show continued last night on account of
this and was removed one step nearer
decey.

Theatre licenses are held during the
will and pleasure of the selectmen. A
majority of the board can at any time
revoke the license by voting to do so and
having record of it made at the town
office. Then if the management persists in
continuing the performances it is
liable to the law for conducting such a
business without a license. Otherwise,
no matter how objectionable the perform-
ances are, it is hard to lay hands on the
management legally. The performers
could be taken on various charges, but
that would not be the nuisance as an-
other troupe could be secured.

It is believed the Bijou license will be
revoked. Chief Fuller is in favor of it
and a number of the best citizens are also.

—Miss Josephine Mead of Centre street
fell on the stone steps of the Windsor
print works yesterday noon and received
a severe cut on her right arm at the
elbow.

No lover of a first-class entertainment
should miss the production of "Old Lav-
ender" by Edward Harrigan and his New
York company at Columbia opera house
tonight. This will be one of the best at-
tractions of the season and should be
greeted with a crowded house.

The scholars in the different schools
were asked to bring provisions if they
wished for the aid of the needy on
Thanksgiving day. They responded very
liberally and in consequence many more
persons will enjoy a Thanksgiving dinner.
Boys and girls went to school this morn-
ing carrying packages of all sizes and
shapes.

THE CAUCUSES.

The Republicans Elect Their
Delegates and Ward
Committees.

STORMY NIGHT FOR THE BUSINESS.

Good Attendance Nevertheless. Every-
thing passed off smoothly. But Lit-
tle Opposition Anywhere. Gen-
eral Satisfaction the Result.

The Republican ward caucuses were
held last night, which was one well cal-
culated to test the courage and patriotism
of the voters. A heavy shower set in at
about 6 o'clock and continued all the
evening. It was clearly one of the heaviest
showers of the season. There was
also considerable wind, and, taken to-
gether, it was a "tough" time to be out.
But the voters were in good numbers,
showing a very commendable interest in
the business of starting off the new city
government on a right basis and with the
proper men at the helm. The caucuses
were all well attended and the business in
hand was transacted in a quiet, yet
earnest and straightforward manner. The
reports in detail follow.

Ward 1.

The caucus was called to order by T. W.
Sykes. C. E. Sherman was chosen moder-
ator and E. W. Robinson clerk. John
Drysdale and Benjamin Carter were ap-
pointed from the floor as checkers, and
for counters the chair appointed H. R.
Hamer, A. N. Smith, John Briery and A.
McDonald. George Lewis was called to
the assistance of the chairman in receiv-
ing the ballots. The poll was kept open
forty-five minutes and 206 ballots were
cast, eighty-three being for the following:
Delegates—Lewis F. Amadon, David W.
Evans, Dennis J. Brown, Frank C. Ho-
ford, Edward J. Mayle, Edlander How-
land, George H. Phelps.
Ward committee—Albert H. McDonald,
Robert McKendrick, Charles E. Sherman.

In Ward 2.

The caucus of ward 2, held in William
Armstrong's store corner of Brooklyn and
Liberty streets was called to order by P.
H. Smith. P. M. Farley was chosen chair-
man and Alexander Crawford secretary.
The checkers were William Ingraham
and L. L. Jewett, and the counters were
L. L. Scott, Arnold Hickok and W. J. Pied.
Fifty-six votes were cast and resulted in
the election of the ticket decided upon at
the preliminary meeting as follows:
Delegates—A. M. Whipple, James Mel-
ling, William Ingraham, Charles M. How-
ard, P. M. Farley, E. B. Hicks, and A. M.
Burdick.

Ward 3.

The caucus of ward 3 was called to order
by W. H. Woodhead. Carlton T.
Phelps was chosen chairman and Eugene
Franchere was chosen secretary. The
checkers were James Mitchell and Ernest
Gould. The counters were James Mitch-
ell, Ernest Gould and W. H. Phillips. The
delegates chosen to the city convention were:
A. J. Hough, S. W. Hannum, F. W.
Reed, Marshall B. Ford, Frederick B.
Hooker, M. V. N. Braman, J. H. Warner.
The choice of the caucus for ward com-
mittee was William H. Woodhead, W. A.
Johnson and R. B. Harris. There was
little opposition to this ticket. A few pa-
tersons were floating around, but made little
impression on the vote.

While the counters were at work fifteen
names were chosen from which to select
five to be presented for councilmen at the
convention. The list, which was made up
with much difficulty, as a good number
withdrew their names, is as follows: Fred
F. Hooker, J. T. Dick, George H. Deming,
James Eddy, M. R. Ford, John Abbott,
L. F. Chapin, H. A. Tower, James Mit-
chell, W. Cormier, M. V. N. Braman, George
W. Chase, H. W. Clark, J. W. Hayden, P.
G. Carpenter. The five selected were
Fred F. Hooker, H. A. Tower, M. V. N.
Braman, George W. Chase and H. W.
Clark. When these names were an-
nounced the caucus adjourned. Fifty-
seven votes were cast.

Ward 4.

The caucus of ward 4 was called to order
by Wallace Keam in Hose 3 rooms,
Union street. Seventy-five voters were
present. Wallace Keam was chosen
chairman and Walter Illingworth secre-
tary. The checkers appointed by the
chairman were Frank S. Illingworth and
Charles C. Fisher. There were two
tickets distributed. One was the straight
Republican ticket which was made up at
the preliminary caucus held Saturday
evening, and the other was a list of de-
legates prepared by a number of voters of
the ward who were dissatisfied with the
result of Saturday evening's proceedings.
The two factions made the caucus lively
by their eagerness to put their tickets
through, but the Republican straight
ticket carried the day. The counters
were Walter Illingworth, George Braman,
A. A. Willis, T. Mort and A. G. Nichols.
The voting resulted in a clear victory for
the straight ticket supporters by fifty-five
to twenty. The delegates to the city con-
vention are as follows: Henry Mont-
gomery, Thomas Mort, A. G. Nichols, J.
H. Parrow, Thomas Butterworth, Dennis
Gregory and Charles Welton. The ward
committee is composed of Thomas But-
terworth, Ernest Brown and H. Montgomery.
The ward has 420 voters. Sixty-nine of
the number are French voters and quite a
delegation of them were out last evening.

While there were two tickets in the
caucus, all the Republicans will undoubt-
edly support the nominees chosen.

Ward 5.

The caucus was called to order by Fred
E. Dowlin. Col. John Braeswell was
chosen chairman and George P. Miller
secretary. There was a brief discussion
as to whether the ward committee and
delegates should be voted for at the same
time, but it was decided that they should
be, the two ballots to be placed in different
bags. Ballots were then distributed and
the voting began. E. H. Beer, E. A.
Richardson and C. A. Brown were ap-
pointed checkers, and the counters were
T. W. Richmond, A. Sykes and Dr.
Wallace E. Brown. The appointments
were made by ballot. It seemed odd,
and not only odd, but to be able to
vote without a jam, something that had
not been done at any largely attended
caucus in this town for years. The ballots
contained the names presented at the in-

formal caucus, with the exception of that
of Col. F. S. Richardson for member of
the ward committee. Col. Richardson de-
clined to serve and this left a blank on the
ward committee ballot to be filled in by
the voters. The poll was kept open a
little over half an hour and all had ample
opportunity to vote. The results were as
follows:

For delegates to the city convention—
John Braeswell, W. F. Darby, W. H.
Pritchard, Charles L. Frink, George
French, Charles W. Fuller, Andrew Pot-
ter.
The ward committee—M. E. Conch,
Emerson J. Cary and William W. Byars.
There was a large scattering vote for the
third ward committee, but M. E.
Conch was the only one that received
more than a few votes. His vote was
thirty-five.

The results when officially declared
were received with applause and the meet-
ing was dissolved.

In Ward 6.

The caucus of ward 6 showed consid-
erable suppressed feeling and bore evi-
dence of a hard fight that was being
quietly waged. An attempt was made to
defeat S. P. Thayer and N. B. Flood, who
had been chosen as delegates at the pre-
liminary meeting. The split ticket made
the names of W. S. Carr and J. L. Temple
substituted for the names S. P. Thayer
and N. B. Flood. The caucus was called
to order by E. M. Meekins. George M.
Dorby was chosen chairman and E. M.
Meekins was made clerk. It was moved
to proceed to balloting and A. W. Fulton,
W. S. Wilkinson and Edwin Barnard were
chosen checkers by the chair. Ernest
Ripley, Arthur Porter, V. A. Whitaker
and A. S. Alford were chosen counters.
The chairman named James E. Hunter, W.
G. Cady and M. C. Jewett for these offices.
W. F. Hodge remarked "you are choosing
them all on the other side," and Mr.
Hunter, Mr. Cady and Mr. Jewett with-
drew their names. While the ballots
were being cast Rev. A. B. Church in-
quired why it was that several men whose
names were not on the voter's list were
allowed to vote and it was explained to
him that those having certificates from
the registers had a right to vote. John E.
Magenis read the law on this point and
H. A. Gallup, one of the registers,

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I know not what record of sin awaits me in the other world; but this I do know, that I never was a mean man to despise a man because he was poor, because he was ignorant, or because he was black.
—John A. Andrew.

SPECIAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, NOV. 27, '95

THANKSGIVING EVE.

There's music and mirth in the air tonight; an aroma of mince pie and a fragrance of faith, a suggestion of turkey and a halo of hope, a richness of plum pudding and a cheery glow of charity, a brilliancy of cranberry sauce and spices and things, and a sweet, warm softening light of home and family love. The terrible storm has blown itself away and the very atmosphere has caught the spirit of Thanksgiving time. The gloom and murkiness have been dispelled and in their places have come a forest of frosty frosts and a glorious afterglow of an autumn sunset to be followed by an evening of moonlight, when even the stars seem to be twinkling a merry welcome to the home-coming.

It is well that our time of home gathering and thanksgiving be made merry and bright. A cheerful giver is beloved in realms divine whether it be a giver of alms or a giver of thanks. Merriment and brightness are as much a part of thankfulness as a smile is of a sincere welcome. There are those to be sure who will thank you with expressions on their faces that belie their words; the same kind of people who will say to wife or husband "shut up, dearest," "my darling you lie" among their other little endearments and affectionate bestialities.

No, the thankfulness is most acceptable that shows its sincerity in its every expression. And so let this good evening and the good day coming on the morrow be full of brightness and good cheer. To make it thoroughly bright it may not be well for all of us to dwell too much upon the past. The day somehow makes it natural for us to do so. We would be inhuman if we did not with love and gratitude turn back to a past so full of sweet memories and companionships. Some of us have had these companionships temporarily interrupted in the near past, even since our last Thanksgiving time. But it is only an interruption, and not only that, it is but an interruption of vision not of life. We live with them still and they with us in some glad Thanksgiving time not so very far away we shall with them have merry, jolly times again with the same old happy companionship and a love made richer by this little interruption of our walk with them down here below.

But memory is kind and if we must look back a little it will not let us be embittered at such a time as this, for she will smooth off the rough edges of the past for us and make of it, if we will only let her, a remembrance of chastened and beautiful happiness, a something to be taken up again in a future full of brightness and hope. And so girls and boys, and that means us all whether simple sices, sweet sixteen, silvered sixties or golden nineties—the nineties where in golden sunnier time the warmest heart throbs make their records on life's thermometer, girls and boys all, let us make a merry time of this Thanksgiving and look forward without one tinge of distrustful foreboding to the better Thanksgivings that lie before us every one.

WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS ACTIVE.

The woman suffrage advocates of Massachusetts are neither dead nor sleeping. They seem hardly less than encouraged by the defeat at the recent election, or, they are putting on a bold front and whistling to keep their courage up. There comes to our desk from the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage association of Boston a circular that is a regular war whoop. It contains among other things this declaration:

Let us now petition for everything the Legislature is capable of doing, viz.:
1. For a real legal referendum, a constitutional amendment.
2. For a law enabling women possessed of the qualifications required of male voters to vote for municipal electors.
3. For a law extending full municipal suffrage to women.

This same circular again says:
On the surface defeated, your opponents' victory is as disastrous to them as was that of the British in 1890, to their cause at Bunker Hill, as it is remarked on all sides. More than one hundred and seven thousand legal voters in conservative Massachusetts declare that "it is expedient to give municipal suffrage to women." When, in the old anti-slavery days, could such a vote be obtained in Massachusetts for the abolition of slavery? Not before Daniel Webster, in 1850, made his speech for Fugitive Slave law, and surely not in the year following it. Not in 1856, when James Buchanan was chosen President of the United States. Not even when the Republican party began to make the further extension of slavery its main issue could such a vote have been obtained for the abolition of slavery, even in the District of Columbia. At any time before the nomination of Abraham Lincoln in 1860, a vote in Massachusetts of more than 100,000 for the overthrow of slavery would have seemed like victory to every anti-slavery worker. So may you be encouraged now.

Among towns that voted "Yes" on the woman suffrage question are given Peru and Windsor in Berkshire county, and in Franklin county are Ashfield, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Leyden, Rowe, Leverett and New Salem. The circular says that "in years to come these towns will be proud of it."

The woman suffrage advocates are still alive and woman's vigor is yet heard in behalf of woman's voting in Massachusetts.

But it will be a long time before the Massachusetts manhood or maid will be a full-fledged voter.

After your Thanksgiving dinner sit down in an easy chair, take up no book, but think—think of old New England and what it stands for,—its traditions and its principles and spirit that have made it what it is. Think of what you as an American citizen and as an individual have to be thankful for. You will come out of that little thought period feeling better and more contented.

It takes more than a hurricane and flood to keep the Republicans of North Adams from turning out to their caucuses, as was shown last night. Something has sort of nettled the Republican brethren the past few days, and the word has been passed along the line "Get together." The Republican party in North Adams is too big to be ignored. The Democrats say the same thing of their party.

To show the value of newspaper publicity, just see the result of a squib recently sent out from California. It was to the effect that Hop Sing, a wealthy San Jose Chinaman, would give \$5,000 to any American who would marry his pretty daughter. Thirty-five hundred letters have already been received at the San Jose postoffice for Hop Sing, 558 arriving on one mail. The whole story was a fake.

As shown at the caucuses last evening, the Republicans of North Adams know a movement that is started by their friends and one that is started by some one else. The result in the sixth ward emphasizes this.

With the exception of some little personal spite and pique shown, the city campaign so far is harmonious enough. A spirit of trying to do right seems everywhere present.

Although the caucuses are over, yet the work of selecting good and true men for the first city officials remains. It rests chiefly on the shoulders of the Republican party.

Let us be thankful at this Thanksgiving time that the caucuses are over, and that the Republican party is just as healthy in North Adams as it is elsewhere.

Now so far as the Republican party is concerned the choosing of the first city officers has narrowed down to forty-nine men. May they act wisely!

The preliminary meetings were a happy idea as shown by their work being upheld at the regular caucuses last night.

What have the Democrats to be politically thankful for tomorrow? Well, that they are living at all.

THE EDITOR'S SHEARS.

FOR TODAY.

A HYMN OF THANKS.

We thank Thee, O Father, for all that is bright—
The gleam of the day, and the stars of the night;
The flowers of our youth and the fruits of our prime,
And blessings that march down the pathway of time.

We thank Thee, O Father, for all that is dear—
The sob of the tempest, the flow of the tear;
For never in blindness, and never in vain,
Thy mercy permitted a sorrow or pain.

We thank Thee, O Father, for song and for feast—
The harvest that glowed and the wealth that increased;
For never a blessing encompassed earth's child
But Thou in Thy mercy looked downward and smiled.

We thank Thee, O Father of all, for the power
Of adding each other in life's darkest hour,
The generous heart and the bountiful hand,
And all the soul help that sad souls understand.

We thank Thee, O Father, for days yet to be—
For hopes that our future will call us to Thee—
That all our Eternity form, through Thy love,
One Thanksgiving Day in the mansions above.

—Will Carleton.

DECIDEDLY IMPROPER.

The open fields lie shivering in the breeze;
Rude winter's hand at autumn's chamber door has knocked;
Denuded limbs stand bare on naked trees—
What wonder is it then, the corn is shocked.

Re Boston Post-Express.

MANCH. ST. MARTYRS.

Their Memory H. moved by the Robert Emmet Last Night.

While the attendance was not as large as was provided for, there was a good sized gathering at the entertainment given by the Robert Emmet society last evening in commemoration of the Manchester Martyrs. The hall had been fittingly draped in memory of those in whose honor the occasion was held and about the speaker's platform were a number of palms. P. J. Ryan presided. Papers on Irish affairs were read and several interesting talks and a fine musical program were given. Those who took part in the entertainment were: Rev. Fr. Flynn, Rev. Fr. Ivers, T. D. Lynch, P. J. Ryan, John Dowling of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., James Loftus, John Farley, Miss Josephine Costello, Edward Farrell and W. F. Smith. A fine supper was served after the entertainment, to which over 100 sat down. A quantity of flowers and the palms were donated by Michael Goodin.

Masquerade Ball.

At the concert to precede the masquerade ball at Odd Fellows' hall Thanksgiving night the following selections will be rendered.

PROGRAM.
Overture—Social—Schleffoguel
Morocco Elegiac—Loves Young Dreams—
Trombone Solo—Trump, Trump—Rollinson
Minstrel—From St. Symphon—Haydn
Gobbin Frolie—Descriptive—O'Neill
Edward Clapp, Conductor.

Fred Walte has taken an engine in the Fitchburg railroad yard at East Deerfield and is moving his family to that place.

Price Hanger, who has been working for the Berkshire Mutual Life Insurance company in Pittsfield for several months, returned to North Adams today. He will make his home with his father, George Hamer, and will serve the company as a special agent in connection with Hamer & Stone.

TRAVELLER'S GUIDE.

Fitchburg Railroad.

Collected Sept. 1, 1895.
Trains Leave North Adams going East—11:37, 12:18, 7:23, 9:45, 11:30 a. m.; 2:22, 12:12, 2:40 p. m.
Going West—7:40, 10:08 a. m.; 12:15, 1:23, 5:00, 12:05, 9:30, 11:46, 12:38, 7:40 p. m.
Trains Arrive from East—10:08 a. m.; 12:15, 1:20, 5:00, 12:05, 11:45, 12:39 p. m.
From West—11:37, 12:18, 7:23, 9:45, 11:30, 12:00, 2:22, 12:12, 2:40 p. m.
a. Adams Day, except Monday.
b. Adams Daily, Sunday included.
c. Sundays only.
d. Williamsstown only.

Boston & Albany Railroad.

Trains Leave North Adams, Going South—6:20, 9:30 a. m.; 12:15, 2:00, 5:05 p. m.
Trains Arrive from South—8:20 a. m.; 12:05, 2:35, 5:55, 9:10 p. m.

Hoosac Valley Street Railway.

Leave North Adams—8:10, 7:45, 8:30, 9:15, 10:45, 11:30 a. m.; 12:15, 1:45, 2:30, 3:15, 4:45, 5:30, 6:15, 7:45, 8:30, 9:15 p. m.
Leave Adams—5:50, 6:10, 7:45, 8:30, 9:15, 10:45, 11:30 a. m.; 12:15, 1:45, 2:30, 3:15, 4:45, 5:30, 6:15, 7:45, 8:30, 9:15 p. m.
10 o'clock to 12 o'clock only.

Saturday and Sunday afternoons, leave each at 1:15, 3:45, 4:20, 4:45, 5:30, 6:00, 6:15, 6:45, 7:10, 7:25, 8:45, 9:00, 9:15, 9:30, 10:15, 12:00 p. m. 10, 10:45 to 12 o'clock only.

Sunday cars will be run to suit convenience of church attendants.

Stages.

Run Daily, except Sundays.

NORTH ADAMS AND WILLIAMSTOWN.

THOMAS McMAHON, Proprietor.
Leave Richmond House, North Adams, 8:30 a. m.; 12:15, 2:40, 6 p. m., and, Saturdays, 9:10 p. m.
Leave McMahon's Stable, Williamsstown, 5:15, 11 a. m.; 1:45 p. m., and, Saturdays, 5 p. m.

NORTH ADAMS AND READSBORO.

J. E. FAULKNER, Proprietor.
Leave Post Office, North Adams, 1:30 p. m.
Leave Post Office, Readsboro, 8 a. m.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Citation, Phillips Hampton
LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

—Edward Harrigan at Columbia opera house tonight.

—C. H. Walker has opened a barber shop in the Brunswick hotel on State street.

—A daughter was born November 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jerdon of Richview avenue.

—The barbers' shops in town will be open until 12 o'clock tonight and will close all day tomorrow.

—The bridge leading from State street to the Fitchburg freight yard has undergone extensive repairs.

—The ward map recently issued by I. S. Browne is an excellent one and will be saved by many for future reference.

—W. H. Pritchard is building a cottage at the corner of East Quincy and Meadow streets. Contractor Button does the work.

—E. Bissailon, of the firm of Lonergan & Bissailon, is prominently mentioned as a candidate for councilman by the Democrats of ward 6.

—A sheet and pillow case masquerade party will be held in Pythian hall Monday evening, December 2, under the auspices of the Rathbone sisters. All who dance must be masked.

—A wagon owned by Whitney Bros. was broken down by a heavy load of lumber on the railroad track on State street yesterday. The load was transferred to another wagon.

—George Clements of Northern Lights avenue was stricken with apoplexy at his home Monday afternoon about 2 o'clock. Dr. M. M. Brown was called. Mr. Clements' condition is critical, yet he is expected to recover.

—William N. Hard of the Magic Instrument company of New York called at the Transcript office yesterday and gave an exhibition of his magic scope, an instrument which presents men and animals in life-like motion in many amusing acts. It is a scientific toy of much interest.

—The cake walk at the masquerade ball tomorrow night will be a novelty for this town and it is certain to make lots of sport. The cake walkers are colored professionals from Troy and Albany and the performance will be well worth seeing. All signs point to a large attendance and all who go will be sure to get their money's worth.

—George Dickinson, an employee in the Fitchburg freight yard at Williamsstown, was coupling cars in the yard last evening when his right hand was caught and badly crushed. He was taken to the hospital about midnight and Dr. Rice was called. The injuries were dressed and it was necessary to ampute two fingers. His whole hand was mangled, but Dr. Rice thinks he will be able to save it.

—The Vernon Bros. have been engaged to give a concert at the Baptist church next Monday night. The company is a juvenile one and has been given the highest recommendation. The Chicago Tribune says of them, "For an hour and a half they led the attention of their delighted audience." The program will consist of instrumental music, singing, reciting and whistling.

—List of letters advertised at the North Adams postoffice November 25, 1895: G. Beebe, Frank Bishop, Francis C. Buffington, Wm. G. Clark, Herbert Card, John Colman, M. V. Dunham, 2 J. W. Fairbank, Wm. Fitzgerald, A. B. Gott, L. E. Hammond, Ned Haurahan, Gertie Morhouse, G. S. Miller, Joseph Paquette, Frederick Roy, Christy Silverhorse, Ed. Tetrauli, Louise Fibault, Jas. D. Turner, Mrs. Jennie Adams, Mrs. Josephine Burnell, Mrs. Ida Burns, Miss Ella Dally, Mrs. C. S. Grogan, Miss Rita Greene, Mrs. Emma Hanson, Mrs. A. R. LeRoy, Mrs. Nettie Lewis, Kate McEvoy, Miss Mary O'Neill, Mrs. Stella A. Phelps, 2 Miss Gail Powers, Mrs. G. D. Rowe, Carrie N. Tilt.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

H. G. Rowe left last evening for his Ohio home, where he will spend Thanksgiving at a reunion of his family.

Mrs. Warren B. Houghton of Pleasant street and Miss Dally and Miss Margaret Houghton will leave next week for New York city, where they will reside this winter.

Fred Owens of East Quincy street, a student in Columbia medical college, New York city, is attending the Atlanta, Ga., exposition in company with a party of fellow students.

Miss Loretta Boland of Church street left today for New York city, where she will be the guest of Miss Julie Angell for a week.

H. A. Fitzsimmons has taken a position in the office of Bartlett Bros. F. L. Tilton attended the burial of E. G. Thorp yesterday at Mount Auburn, acting as bearer. Mr. Thorp was a prominent wholesale stationer of Boston and a boyhood friend of Mr. Tilton, being also an associate in business many years.

Mrs. J. M. Darby entertained friends yesterday afternoon at her home on Holbrook street.
Rev. W. L. Tenney was in Rathland, Vt., yesterday.

CONCERT PROGRAM.

A Good Entertainment Under the Auspices of Clan McIntyre.

At the Scotch concert to be given at Odd Fellows' hall next Friday night by the Whitelaw Concert company, which will appear under the auspices of Clan McIntyre, No. 128, the following will be rendered.

Program.
PART I.
Overture—Clapp's Orchestra.
Opening Chorus—Minstrel's Delight—Knight
Full Company.
Song—A Dream of Golden Days—Rodney
Louis Gordon.
Song—Sweetheart—Graham
Arthur Terry.
Song—The Flight of Ages—Bryan
End Song—John's My Gal—Dumont
Edward Ashman.
Song—For Thee Alone—Blythe
Albert Whitman.
Song—Just for Tonight—Collins
John Fallon.
End Song—Lucida—Jones
Matthew Chambers.
Song—Hide Behind the Door—Coe
Maurice Phillips.
End Song—Mississippi Song—James Jones.
Finale—Song, Won't You Come to My Tea Party—James Chambers and the New City Minstrels.

PART II.

Selection—New City Minstrel Orchestra.
Euphonium Solo—Trump, Trump—Rollinson
Frank Gordon.
Quartet—When I was a Little Boy—Messrs. Hewitt, Whitman, Phillips and Gordon.
Major Lettambour—Baton Swinging—Fred Gill.
Buch and Wing Dances—Glenora Brock
Acrobats—M. H. Powell.

Oration—How Day Lost the Noff Pole—Brother Rudolph Hutchinson.
Laughing Song—Banjo Accompaniment—James Jones.
AVANCEMENT.
Plantation Sketch—Uncle Eph's Return—Entire Company.

No Case.

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—George Fresco, the young Institute of Technology student, whose trial on a charge of larceny has been postponed several times to enable the government to bring in their alleged principal witness, was honorably discharged yesterday by Judge Burke.

Brief Freedom.

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 27.—Deputy Marshal Wheeler and Inspector Flood last evening captured Mathew Ford and Elmer Black, who yesterday escaped from the Concord (Mass.) state reformatory. They were making their way north to the Canadian line.

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—The Portland bark H. J. Libby has reached here from Turk's island after a passage through continuous gales. Captain Bray reports the loss of Alfred Taylor, a seaman, during the run from Buenos Ayres to Turk's island.

Held in \$20,000 Bail.

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—Richard Sennott was brought before Judge Ely yesterday on a complaint charging him with burning the dwelling house of William Lythgoe at 344 Hanover street. He was held in \$20,000 bail for the December grand jury.

Young M. O.'s.

HANOVER, N. H., Nov. 27.—The 99th annual lecture course of Dartmouth medical college closed last Saturday, and last night the senior class was graduated. The degree of doctor of medicine was conferred upon 42 graduates.

Still Wrangling.

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 27.—The board of aldermen last night refused to pay \$48,500 for the famous memorial site, and had a bitter fight over an offered resolution to return the \$50,000 to the donors, it finally being lost—8 to 7.

Tampored With Letters.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov. 27.—Edward G. Ufford, employed by the Phelps Publishing company, was arrested last night on the charge of larceny. He was caught opening letters addressed to the company.

Cunningham Caught.

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—Police Inspector Leggett arrived from New York last night with William Cunningham, a convict, who escaped from the state prison at Charlestown, April 14, 1893.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Dr. Thomas Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Burlington & Darby's Drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Blisters, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Burlington and Darby.

TOWN TALK.

Public Sale.
Saturday, Nov. 30, at 10:30 a. m. Leach's stable, North Adams. Consignment of sleighs, carload of horses, 200 stables and stable blankets, 25 single harnesses, robes and lap robes. Any person wishing to dispose of any property can do so by bringing it in the day previous of sale. C. A. LEACH, 159 4th with.

We have the finest Malaga grapes, Catawba grapes, oranges, bananas, figs and raisins. Braham.

If you want a good cigar or one of the best pipes at a low price try the new Crescent cigar store, 79 Main street.

The finest Hubbard squash, turnips, beets and onions. Braham.

Anyone buying \$2.00 worth and upwards from our store can receive one of our Japanese cups and saucers free any day till the closing Thanksgiving day at No. 5 Wilson block, North Adams, Mass. L. M. Barnes.

Special arrangements enable us to furnish our patrons with strictly fresh eggs. Braham.

A few more dozen of "Rogers" knives and forks at \$5.00 per dozen at L. M. Barnes' the Wilson house jeweler.

You can get plenty of strictly fresh eggs at Braham's.

Try the 1776 for a good five cent cigar at the Crescent cigar store, 79 Main street.

Don't throw aside that light suit you've been wearing all summer. Have it colored to look like new at Blanchard's Garment Dyke House, 59 Main street.

Braham is ready for Thanksgiving with celery, lettuce, parsley, spinach.

We engrave one, two or three letters without extra charge on each spoon of the sterling silver set we are selling for \$3.50. L. M. Barnes the Wilson house jeweler.

The best five and ten cent cigar in town can be found at 79 Main street.

The finest maple syrup in the land. Braham.

Notwithstanding the recent rise in sterling silver tea spoons we are selling them for \$3.50 per set and engrave one, two or three letters on each spoon at L. M. Barnes the Wilson house jeweler.

WANTED.

To buy house and barn with from one-half acre to ten acres of land. A. M. Hemenway, North Adams, Mass. 6151.
Job press feeders. Apply at Transcript Office.

TO RENT.

Desirable Tenement. Modern conveniences. Heated. Rent of Jeweler Higley House. Enquire at Hall St.
A good room with board. 18 Main St. 6117.

A Tenement. E. J. Boland.

LOST.
A black dogskin overcoat between John's Ground and Greylock. Reward for finder at Transcript office. 1547.

To Contractors and Builders.
Plans and specifications for the erection of three stores on the Hourahan lot, Center and Holden street now ready and may be seen at the office. F. J. Ashe, Guardian. 1517.

Are You Interested

IN

Diamonds?

Higley

Jeweler

IS SHOWING A

Fine Line

AND QUOTING EXCEPTIONALLY

Low Prices.

COLUMBIA

OPERA

HOUSE.

Wednesday, Nov. 27.

Direct from New York,

EDWARD HARRIGAN

AND HIS OWN COMPANY, UNDER THE

MANAGEMENT OF M. W. HANLEY

Presenting Mr. Harrigan's most successful play

in three acts, entitled

Old Lavender

ALL THE OLD AND ORIGINAL SONGS

BY DAVE BRAHAM.

"THE CLOCK IN THE TOWER STRIKES 12,"

"JOLLY OLD OWLS,"

BOSTON STORE

Taylor & Gow.

(Successors to W. J. Taylor.)

BE ON HAND in the morning. Two thousand dollars' worth of Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks and Jackets will be disposed of at a great reduction. We have had one of the largest and most successful seasons in ladies' garments and we are determined that this department shall be kept busy for the remainder of the season, which we shall accomplish by offering the balance of our stock at unheard-of prices. Figures on paper would give no idea of their value. Come and see them. You will be more than pleased.

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK
50 pieces Plaid Dress Goods, suitable for children's wear, have been 12 1-2 and 15c, now 6 1-4.

25 dozens Boys' Toboggan Caps, price was 50c each, our price now 8c each.

20 dozens Children's Wool Leggings, have been 25c a pair, our price now 8c a pair.

GREAT SALE OF PICTURES AND BOOKS THIS WEEK. PRICES LOW.

BOSTON STORE.

Do you want - - -

A watch that will keep satisfactory time? Those 17-jeweled Walthams in gold, silver or filled cases will do the business. Call and get one. Prices moderate.

You do want - - -

A Diamond stud or a Tiffany mounted Diamond Ring? A new stock of beauties. Prices never lower than now. We have them loose and mounted.

Thanksgiving Silver.

Our elegant new stock of new patterns of Spoons and Forks. The COLONIAL is the latest. The proper thing for Thanksgiving is Silverware. Solid Sterling Silver and 1847 Rogers Bros.' plated ware.

Colonial Cut Glass

Adds to the beauty of any well regulated table. Look at it! Take home a piece.

L. M. BARNES

5 Wilson Block.

Baled Shavings

For bedding horses and cattle or packing breakable goods. Cleaner, cheaper, better than straw or hay. Horses won't eat them or pile them into a heap and as they are a ready absorbent, they prevent animals from becoming stained and are a valuable fertilizer. Size of bales 19x22x30 inches. Weight 100 pounds. For sale by

T. W. Richmond & Co.,
31 STATE STREET.

C. A. CARD.

Real Estate Agent.

\$1,550 buys a good Cottage. Some fruit. Good lot.
New House on Hall street. A bargain.
City Building Lots. Prices \$300 to \$500.
Real Estate in all parts of the city and West End. Prices low and terms easy.

Insurance: Fire, Life and Accident.

C. A. Card, 3 Martin bl'k.
NORTH ADAMS.

POST OFFICE SERVICE

NORTH ADAMS MAILS.

MAILS ARRIVE.

8 a. m., New York City, 1.30, Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R. Troy, N. Y. 8.30, New York City, Boston, South and West via Pittsfield, 10.15, New York and West via Pittsfield R. R. 11.37, Troy, N. Y. 11.44, Springfield, Stamford, Hartford and Bessboro, Vt.
12.05 p. m., Boston, New York, Pittsfield and Southern Mass., Maine, New Hampshire and Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R. 1.30, Florida, Mass., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 2.30, Pittsfield, 4.40, New York, Southern and Western States, 5.50, Maine, New Hampshire, Springfield, Holyoke, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Southern Mass., 7.30, Williamsstown, Williamsstown Station and Blackinton, 8.05, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Way Station via Pittsburg R. R. 9.15, Boston & Albany R. R. Way Stations west of Pittsfield, 11.45, Boston.

MAILS CLOSE.

8 a. m., Boston, Pittsfield, Adams, New York, Albany and Southern Mass., 8.40, New York, Albany, Troy, Williamsstown, Williamsstown Station, Blackinton, Southern and Western States, 9.15, New York City, Boston, South and West via Pittsfield, 10.15, New York and West via Pittsfield R. R. 11.37, Troy, N. Y. 11.44, Springfield, Stamford, Hartford and Bessboro, Vt.
12.05 p. m., Boston, New York, Pittsfield and Southern Mass., Maine, New Hampshire and Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R. 1.30, Florida, Mass., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 2.30, Pittsfield, 4.40, New York, Southern and Western States, 5.50, Maine, New Hampshire, Springfield, Holyoke, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Southern Mass., 7.30, Williamsstown, Williamsstown Station and Blackinton, 8.05, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Way Station via Pittsburg R. R. 9.15, Boston & Albany R. R. Way Stations west of Pittsfield, 11.45, Boston and all points West and South.

SUNDAY—7 a. m., New York, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, and all points West and South. CANADIAN MAILS close at 11.55 a. m., 7.45 p. m., daily except Sundays; Sundays close at 7 p. m. Money orders and Registered Letters open daily except Sundays from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. GENERAL DELIVERY AND STAMPS open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. CARRIAGE WINDOW SERVICE from 7 to 9 p. m. SUNDAY DELIVERY 9 to 10 a. m.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

AT ADAMS TODAY.

Where to go Tonight.—A Variety of Entertainments.—A Good Movie.—He Got His Watch.

For The Memorial Building.

The Grand Army's memorial building committee met at Grand Army hall, Tuesday evening, with the public library trustees. All the committee except Commander E. E. Phelps was present and these four of the library trustees were in attendance: Dr. C. W. Burton, Supt. W. F. Beckwith, Dr. D. E. Thayer and Charles F. Sayles. W. B. Flunkett was chosen president. The matter of joining forces in the erection of handsome buildings to serve for the purpose of the Grand Army post and the library, was discussed. Although no definite action was taken, it was considered that if such a building should be decided upon, it should be built of stone and a site off the street, should be selected, where suitable grounds should be provided. The library trustees will meet in Dr. C. W. Burton's office at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon and the trustees and committee will hold a joint meeting in the parlor of the Greylock house at 5 o'clock the same afternoon. Public sentiment is steadily growing in favor of the building and when definite action is taken the post may depend upon townspeople for aid. There is a fund of about \$2000 in the hands of the library trustees, and it is expected that, as the building will sooner or later revert to the town, there will be a large donation made by the town to the fund.

The Good Government Club.

The meeting to be held Tuesday evening by the Good Government club, was postponed a week on account of the inclement weather and the temporary officers will hold until that time. The purpose of this club, as told by a member to the TRANSCRIPT reporter, is to take a part in local politics, irrespective of party matters, and secure the election of good men for all offices. Any citizen of the United States, irrespective of creed, color or race, is eligible to membership. A committee has been appointed to draw up a set of by-laws. Permanent officers will be elected Tuesday evening.

All For Tonight.

The town is to be well supplied with dances and gatherings of other kinds this evening and all that is necessary for a good time is to pay your money and take your choice.

In Grand Army hall, the local Hibernian society will hold its annual calico social and there will be a large attendance. Supper will be served in the hall, music will be furnished by Neary's orchestra and P. J. Keilher will be prompter.

The St. Jean Baptiste society will hold a dance and supper in their own hall on Commercial street, for which Palmer's orchestra will play.

The Caledonian club will hold a social for members and ladies only at their hall at Benbow.

A private dance will be held at Odd Fellows' hall and parties and turkey rafts innumerable on the bill.

Recovered His Watch.

Jerry Connors, a stone-mason employed on the foundation work of the new St. Charles church, attended the Burns-Morton wedding at Mrs. John Needham's residence Monday night and together with the rest of the guests had a good time. He became sleepy at an early hour Tuesday morning and lay down. When he awoke, his gold watch, worth \$65 was missing. He notified Chief Curran, who went with Officer Haddock to the scene of the loss. No trace of the watch was found and the officers informed the company that unless some thing was heard of the watch within the day, there would be a thorough investigation. The result was that Tuesday afternoon, two of the party brought the timepiece to Chief Curran and told him it had been found near the lounge upon which Connors had been sleeping.

A Commendable Move.

Supt. Neary of the Adams electric light company deserves the thanks of townspeople for his considerate act of having the street lights turned on at 5.30 o'clock every morning for the benefit of the people who have to go to work at an early hour. He intends to continue this during the entire season of short days.

At the request of Rev. Fr. Triggane the plays that were given last Friday by Harry Laville will be repeated Thanksgiving afternoon at the Old French church. Admission ten cents.

The windows are being placed in the new Berkshire mill.

A week from tonight Hoosac lodge of Odd Fellows will confer the second degree upon one member.

William Connelly left town Tuesday for Springfield.

There will be no sessions in any of the public schools Friday.

A special car will leave North Adams for this town tonight after the presentation of Ed. Harrigan's "Old Lavender."

Landlord Harry Donahue of the Zylonite hotel is in Boston on business.

Thomas Ferguson has removed from Zylonite to his old home on North Summer street.

Kenneth Mair has returned home from Gilbertville where he was employed.

Mrs. William Russell of Benbow has returned from a visit with relatives in Pittsfield.

The Father Mathew society will hold its regular monthly meeting at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Charles E. Legate has a large turkey in the window of his clothing store and will award it to the person guessing nearest its weight.

There have been two flocks of wild geese in town during the past week. One flock alighted on Wesley Simmons' farm Saturday, but Mr. Simmons could not get near enough to kill any of them. He fired two shots but both fell short.

George Boulger will spend Thanksgiving in Springfield.

The Thursday afternoon club will not meet this week.

Supper was served in the Baptist society rooms Tuesday.

CHESHIRE.

George Dean has disposed of his large St. Bernard dog, "Peter." Mrs. Cobb of Northampton has him. He was the largest of any here and was a good watch. He was tagged and shipped yesterday.

Morton Chapman will spend most of his time during the winter with his son at Pittsfield.

J. D. Northup and family will spend Thanksgiving at George D. Ingalls', Berkshire.

John L. Wood's son will study medicine, taking courses of study the coming winter.

James McCormick, photographer of the U. S. geological survey and a Cheshire production, is in town a few days on his way home to Washington, D. C., from Glen Falls, N. Y. He has been working in three states the past season—New Hampshire, New York and Maryland.

The heavy rain last evening caused light attendance at the gatherings of the Epworth league and the social of the Universalists.

The late rains have pretty well filled the wells and springs and the reservoir is in its usual shape for winter.

C. H. Lamphier, one of our oldest citizens, is seriously sick, being delirious at times.

One of W. B. Dean's heavy team horses went through the scales at the mill office yesterday, but no injury was done.

The cattle commissioners allowed thirty-two to thirty-five dollars apiece for some of the stock.

A flock of about forty wild geese were about the reservoir Monday, apparently lost in their course.

Miss Mollie Shea is home from her school at Warren.

Chas. Dayo of Philmont, N. Y., a former landlord of Hoosac Valley house was at T. Welch's Monday. J. H. Kenney of the same place accompanied him.

John Regan is slightly improved from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Chas. G. Brown a former citizen of Pittsfield was in town Monday.

Miss Nellie Welch of Benbow is staying at the Hoosac Valley house, visiting her brother.

James Reynolds returned from Boston Monday.

Chas. Brown, who was so dangerously sick with neuralgia of the heart, is better. The library annual meeting will be December 4.

The Ladies Reading club will meet this week with Miss Jessie Cole.

H. P. Brown will spend the winter with his daughter at Gloversville, N. Y.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Magicians Coming.

The world-renowned and celebrated magicians, Prof. and Flora Button, will give a performance in the opera house Friday evening. They two magicians come highly recommended and will probably play to a good audience.

Mrs. Samuel F. Clarke, who is spending the winter in New York city, has been in town for a few days.

It is thought that the burning of B. H. Sherman's barn was caused by a horse stepping on a match which had been accidentally dropped in the bedding, and this theory is probably the correct one as only one horse had his legs burned and the fire started on that side of the barn.

M. F. Danaher will spend Thanksgiving with friends in Albany.

Thanksgiving services will be held in the Methodist church Thursday at 11 o'clock. Prof. Spring will preside.

Miss Helen Barker of Hinsdale is visiting friends in town.

"Steepie Jack," who has been in town for a few days painting the steeple on the Methodist church became dizzy Tuesday afternoon while on top of the steeple and had to be lowered to the ground.

Lewis Perry will spend Thanksgiving in Williamsburg, Mass.

A party of young people will attend the temperance dance in Blackinton tonight.

The fire company's ball will take place in the opera house tonight.

George Stevenson, who was accidentally shot Sunday evening is slowly improving. The bullet was taken out Tuesday.

A photograph has been placed in E. L. Watson's billiard parlors and will remain for some time.

The game between the high school and Drury will not be played on the fair grounds Thanksgiving day.

Rev. Edward Wilson will address the Young Men's Mutual Improvement association of Blackinton Wednesday evening, December 4, in the Blackinton church.

The last lecture in the course will be given in the Methodist church this evening at 8 o'clock by the Rev. I. D. Valkenburg of Troy. Mr. Van Valkenburg is one of the most prominent members of the Troy conference and will undoubtedly have a good house.

BLACKINTON.

The gallery will be reserved for any persons who would like to hear the instrumental concert by Clapp's orchestra at the ball Wednesday evening. Admission twenty-five cents.

Miss Margaret Allairs, a teacher of much prominence in the Hatfield public schools, is the guest of Miss Nan A. Maloney for a week.

The Father Mathew Ladies' Aid met Sunday and elected the following board of officers: President, Miss Francis Galvin; vice president, Miss Margaret Fleming; secretary, Miss Annie Fleming; treasurer, Miss Honora Riordan. The membership is very good to start with.

WOMEN'S EXALTED MISSION.

Better to Create a Good Home Than to Ruel in Any Other Endeavor.

Certainly there is wisdom for two young people who have sworn to love each other, no matter whether there is poverty or wealth, no matter whether the days are bright or dark, to have a home of their own, writes Ruth Ashmore, discussing "The Mistress of the Small House," in Ladies' Home Journal. Boarding house life is bad for women, and I do not believe that any man has ever really enjoyed it. God created women to make homes—to make homes for the men they love and for the children whom God will send to them. And a home must be started at the beginning of this new life. Do not wait for a big house and many servants, but make happiness exist in a little home with one maid as a help. It can be done. I know it can.

Do not shrug your shoulders and say you do not like housework. Work is only disagreeable when it is badly done, and from washing the silver and glass to dusting the brick-work and beating up a cake everything may be done with a will and with the right spirit. You will have to be considerate, and you will have to be patient. You will have to make mistakes, but each mistake is one step toward success. Burden yourself with patience, consideration and tenderness; you will need to make calls upon them often and often.

Then you will gain so much. You will be the happy housewife, the lady of the house who has the right to dispense hospitality and good will; the mistress, not only of the house, but of the heart of your husband, because for him you have created a home. And that is a womanly work—a better monument to you, my dear, than the painting of a wonderful picture, the writing of a great book, or the composing of a fine piece of music. From out a home all virtues and all great works may come. No man ever made a home. He does not know how. The woman's brain, heart and hands are necessary, and a home is such a beautiful thing. It means rest, it means peace, and it means love. Make one for your husband and let him find these three great joys in its four walls.

THE MULLIGAN LETTERS.

Blaine's Dramatic Reading in Congress of the Famous Correspondence.

After the morning hour on Monday, June 5, Mr. Blaine rose to a question of privilege. He began his remarks by observing that the investigation, though authorized in general terms, was aimed solely and only at himself. "The famous witness, Mulligan," he said, had selected out of years of correspondence letters which he thought would be peculiarly damaging to him, Blaine, but they had nothing to do with that investigation. He, Blaine, obtained them under circumstances known to everybody, and defied the house to compel him to produce them. Had Mr. Blaine stopped here his enemies could have made him bite the dust. Apparently he had allowed himself to be driven into a fatal cul-de-sac. Not so.

Having vindicated his right to the letters he proceeded in his most dramatic manner: "Thank God Almighty I am not afraid to show them. There they are [holding up a package of letters]. There is the very original package. And with some sense of humiliation, with a mortification that I do not pretend to conceal, with a sense of outrage which I think any man in my position would feel, I invite the confidence of 44,000,000 of my countrymen while I read those letters from this desk." For the moment triumph turned to dismay, dismay to triumph. The audience was electrified. The letters seemed to show Mr. Blaine, in one case at least, high minded and generous in assuming the losses of "innocent persons who invested on his request."—From "The Plumed Knight and His Joust," by President E. Benjamin Andrews, in Scribner's.

Retortals in Holland.

In certain parts of Holland when a young man thinks he loves a girl, he asks her for a match to light his cigar at the door of the beloved one's home. This is done to let the parents know that something is intended, and if the visit is repeated and the same thing occurs no doubt is left in the minds of the girl's parents, and they immediately proceed to investigate the young man's character and antecedents. When he calls a third time, they are prepared to give him an answer. If his suit is looked upon favorably, he is given a match. If refused, he produces his own match, lights his cigar and walks away. If a favorable answer is given, he steps forward and joins hands with the girl. While the engagement is by no means a settled fact even at this important stage, it is stated as a truth that if, on the occasion of the young man's third visit, his innamorata offers him a second cigar and he smokes it in the house the engagement is never canceled.—Godey's Magazine.

He Didn't Wait.

He was one of those unruly youngsters who make the life of a public school teacher a hard one. He was in the primary grade. He came in one morning with dirty hands and face. The teacher looked at him severely.

"Johnny!"

"Have you washed your face and hands this morning?"

"No'm."

"Why not?"

"None of the folks is home, ah I don't haft to."—Syracuse Post.

The Land of Liberty.

Traveled Guest (meaningly)—In Europe the custom of tipping has been reduced to a system—one-twentieth of the bill. Thus a \$1 check entitles the waiter to 5 cents.

Waiter—Yes, sah, but in this land o' liberty, sah, every gub'ment feels free to gub a quarter, sah.—New York Weekly.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate their bowels add kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alternative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents and \$1.00 per bottle at Burlington & Darby's Drug store.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Probate Court. In the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Phillips Elmore late of Chatham in said County, deceased. Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court, for probate, by Robert Hempton who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the Executor thereunder named. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court, to be held at Pittsfield in said County of Berkshire, on the third day of December, A. D. 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be admitted, and said instrument is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the North Adams Daily Transcript a newspaper published in North Adams, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said court. Witness, Edward T. Slocum, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 22d day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. 136 189 189 FRED R. SHAW, Register.

JAMES NAGLE'S

BARBER SHOP

Will be open till 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

Millinery Opening

ELLEN B. GERMAIN will open her millinery parlor at No. 3 Church street October 31st, 7th and 8th. Selected stock of patterns and trimmings. Hats in hand at all prices. A first-class city trimmer employed.

\$60,000.

Money to loan on Real Estate property. Payable last night with an enthusiastic audience of sympathizers with the Cuban cause. The meeting was similar to the meetings recently held at Chicago, Boston and Washington. Letters of regret were read from Congressman Cummings, Governors McIntyre of Colorado, Culberson of Texas and other notable men expressing sympathy with the cause of Cuba. Congressman Sulzer was the principal speaker. He said he was among the sympathizers in behalf of Cuba's independence and stood ready to champion her cause in the congress of the United States. It was unanimously resolved "that we extend our sympathy to the Cubans in their struggle for freedom and independence, and we call on the congress and the President of

COLUMBIA OPERA HOUSE,

ONE GLORIOUS WEEK BEGINNING

Monday Dec. 2.

DAILY DIME MATINEES COMMENCING WEDNESDAY. RETURN ENGAGEMENT.

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35 ARTISTS 35

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ENTIRE CHANGE OF PLAY. MUSIC AND SPECIALTIES NIGHTLY.

Monday Evening,

The Diplomat

A THREE-HOUR LAUGH.

Prices: 10, 20 and 30 cents.

SALE OF SEATS: FRIDAY MORNING AT BARTLETT'S.

THE MUTUAL

Life Insurance Co.

OF NEW YORK.

JABEZ L. PECK, Ex-Mayor of Pittsfield, Mass., deceased. Statement of his investment in The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. Policy No. 14,855, taken May 28, 1885. Age 23. Annual payment.....\$84.40 Amount of Policy.....2,000 Dividend additions.....2,649 Value of policy and accumulations.....4,649 Paid by insured, \$40.40 times.....1,746 Profit.....2,903

NOTE.

All premiums paid by insured.....1,736 Excess of dividend accumulations over amount paid for premiums.....913 Face of policy.....2,000 Total.....4,649 Besides furnishing sound Life Insurance all these facts.

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NORTH ADAMS.

Registrars' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the lists of qualified voters of the men and women of North Adams have been printed and are now posted in several public places.

The board of registrars of voters will be in session for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualification of persons claiming the right to vote at the December election and for the correction of the Voting Lists at the Town Office as follows:

Tuesday, November 19th, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Friday, November 22d, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Tuesday, November 26th, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Wednesday, November 27th, from 12 m. to 10 p. m. At which time registration ceases by law, after which no name can be placed on the register.

All male persons desiring to register must appear in person on one of the above dates and prove their right to vote by presenting a tax bill of 1895 or a certificate from the board of assessors.

Women may be registered at any of the above sessions to vote for School Committee.

H. CLAY BLISS, JOHN A. RICE, HARVEY A. GALLUP, CHARLES S. BROOKER, Board of Registrars.

North Adams, Mass., Nov. 13, 1895.

HAYWARD CONFESSES.

Cannot Now Escape Gallows for the Murder of Catherine Gling.

WEATHER FORECAST.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)



Boston,
Nov. 27, 12 noon
Washington fore-
cast for New Eng-
land. Fair with ter-
rily winds, colder Thurs-
day morning.

W. H. Gaylord

The daintiest assortment of

Wash Dress Goods,

Jaconat, Duchesse, Dinties,

Percales, Plisse, Crepons,

Ducks and Galatea Cloth.

KID GLOVES.

We are the sole agents for Foster
Faul & Co.'s Celebrated Kid Gloves.
We have reduced the price of the
\$1.25 Quality to \$1.00.
We have all the popular shades in
Mousquetaire Gloves and the best
White Chambray Glove made.

Look at the bargains we are offer-
ing in Smith's & Angell's Black
Hose, two thread, double heels and
toes, for 25 cents.

GAYLORD'S, 3 Main Block

MECHANICS' TOOLS.

The largest and best assort-
ment of tools for . . .

CARPENTERS,
MACHINISTS,
MASONS,
BLACKSMITHS,
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In these times when every
skilled workman wants the
best tools to do his best work,
they will find just what they
desire at

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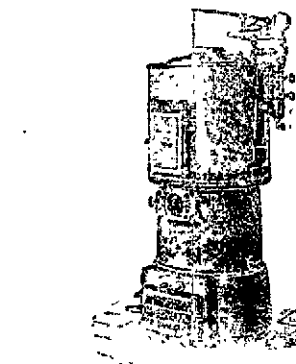
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Sole agents for "All Right" and
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Boilers.

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11 BANK STREET.

SHIPMENTS OF COIN.

An Explanation of How the Privileges
Have Been Broadened.All Classes Able to Give the
Treasury a Lift.These Are "Bargain Days" for the Possessors
of Uncurrent Currency.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The treasury
yesterday lost \$1,130,000 in gold bullion
for export, which leaves the true amount
of the reserve \$30,924,050.

So general a public misapprehension
seems to exist as to the significance of the
recently sent to the assistant treasurers
from the department that treasury
officials have been kept more or less busy
explaining and answering questions from
outside.

There has been no radical change in the
rules about shipments of coin—merely
broadening the privilege heretofore exer-
cised by the assistant treasurer at Wash-
ington, and its extension to all the assist-
ant treasurers in the United States.

Heretofore, gold coin which has been
abraded past the proportion of one-half of
its face value for every 20 years of
circulation has been not only re-
fused when presented for redemption at
the sub-treasury, but stamped as uncur-
rent and returned to the person presenting
it, the expenses for transportation both
ways being charged to him.

An exception to this rule was made in
the case of the assistant treasurer in this
city, who was permitted to receive and
turn in such coins at their full value if
presented by officers of the government
who had no fine scales, and in payment of
their balances due the treasury. This was
a frequent occurrence with postmasters in
small places, who had received abraded
coin in their official business and were
without means of discovering how light it
was.

At Bullion Value.
Moreover, the law gives full legal ten-
der quality at their full value to
abraded coins below the statutory weight,
so that it would have been a hardship on
these men, representing the government
as they do, to throw back upon them the
uncurrent coin they had taken in either
unwittingly or under legal tender com-
pulsion.

Saturday's order simply gives the public
at large the same right that the officers of
the government had exclusively enjoyed
up to that time, of turning in at its full
value any gold coin, however abraded,
at any sub-treasury in the United States,
and receiving therefor its full bullion
value in current money, without expense
of transportation either way.

The value of gold of coinage fineness is
about 37 cents a grain; but the deduction
to be made in the case of abraded coin is
set at 4 cents a grain on account of the
necessity for having a figure into which
the current value is divisible.

The further provision is made that all
shipments to receive the benefits of the
extended privilege must amount to \$500 or
some multiple thereof; this rule was
made for the purpose of saving the sub-
treasury people everywhere an immense
amount of needless bookkeeping and a waste
of time in handling coin sent in in bulk.
For anyone having uncurrent money on
hand this opens a chance for getting rid
of it at better terms than heretofore, and
better than will be made again, probably,
for some time, after the present gold
stringency passes over. The order is ex-
pected to cause a general ransacking of
country shop-tills and tin boxes, to say
nothing of the traditional stockpiling
and bureau-drawer storage places of the
"plain people."

Latest From Jackson's Hole.
GREEN RIVER, WY., Nov. 27.—George
McClain, a photographer, started for
Jackson's Hole with his wife and two
children early last spring. McClain cor-
responded regularly with relatives here
until about the time of the Bannock In-
dian scare. A man just returned from
the Jackson's Hole country reports seeing
the wreckage of a photographic outfit on
the Hole, and this occasions the fear that
he and his family have been foully dealt
with.

Murphy's Punishment.
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 27.—William
Welsh, in charge of L. A. W. matters in
California, received the following telegram
from Chairman Gideon of the racing
board: "Murphy permanently suspended.
Stop his riding. Next man gets prize."
This refers to C. M. Murphy, the crack
class B man, now in southern California,
and is the result of the protest filed against
him for throwing a race in St. Louis in
September last.

Train Wreck and Battle.
HABAKA, Nov. 27.—A band of insur-
gents derailed a train in the Calbarien
district of the province of Santa Clara.
The military escort on board the train
made a brave defense, during the course
of which both sides lost heavily. The in-
surgents burned the derailed cars. No
further details have been received.

The Palma Disaster.
MADRID, Nov. 27.—Sixty corpses have
been recovered from the ruins at Palma
and out of the 24 injured persons taken to
the hospital the majority are expected to
die as a result of their injuries. The queen
regent has sent 10,000 pesetas to be dis-
tributed among the families of the victims
of the disaster.

Miners' Awful Fate.
HAZELTON, Pa., Nov. 27.—While at work
in a deep coal stripping hole at Milnes-
ville colliery yesterday, John Martin and
John Rusko were buried in a landslide,
which covered them beneath thousands of
tons of debris. It took three hours' hard
work to find the bodies.

Failed to Look Around.
LOWELL, Mass., Nov. 27.—John Moran,
a fireman on the Boston and Maine road,
was run over by a train here yesterday
afternoon and died from his injuries. He
stepped off his engine and did not notice
the train approaching behind him.

President Ripley.
NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The reorganiza-
tion committee of the Archbishop, Ripley
and Santa Fe railway elected E. P. Ripley
president; D. B. Johnson, vice president,
and Aldace E. Walker, chairman of the
board of directors.

Out of a Job.
NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The police com-
missioner yesterday afternoon dismissed
from the force Captain Eakins of the
Micro-street station.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.
Alexander Dumas is slightly worse.
Ex-Premier Sagasta says the situation
in Spain is grave.

The famous Hocking Valley deal is up-
held by the courts.

Only 10 out of 61 postoffice divisions of
the United States are profitable.

Brazil has been asked to submit the
Trinidad question to arbitration.

M. Zola and others refused to sign a
petition for the release of Oscar Wilde.

The illegal sale of oleomargarine has
been completely suppressed in Connecti-
cut.

ACTED UNDER ORDERS.

Turkish Soldiers Not Wholly to
Blame For Recent Massacres.Many Hundreds Killed in the
McCrash Riots.Officials Think "Killing Outright Is Better Than
Death by Famine."

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The Chronicle this
morning publishes a dispatch from its
special correspondent at Constantinople
giving an account of a peculiarly made
by the Turkish officials.

According to the correspondent, seven
from the Kharpout district applied to the
Constantinople authorities for informa-
tion about the massacres said to have oc-
curred there. The officials were forced to
tell them that the outbreaks had been most
serious. When the men expressed a
hope that their families were safe, the
officials replied: "Better that they should
have been killed outright than that they
should die of famine."

A dispatch to The Daily News says that
a telegram has been received at Constanti-
nople from Kharpout explaining the man-
ner in which the recent destruction of
American mission property occurred. The
American mission buildings at Kharpout
were set on fire separately, according to
the telegram, in the presence of the sol-
diers, but the college building was saved.

A dispatch to The Times from Constanti-
nople says that the nomination of Ruver
Boy as minister at Constantinople has
produced an unfavorable impression, dis-
pleasing in the extreme as the new offi-
cial is fanatically anti-Christian and no-
torious for his brutality.

Massacres Were Ordered.
The Times this morning publishes an
article written at Erzurum, dated Nov. 9.
The correspondent says:

"The massacres here certainly occurred
by the order of the authorities, and this
order must have emanated originally from
the central authorities at Constantinople.
Much circumstantial evidence can be pro-
duced to corroborate this statement."

The correspondent then proceeds to re-
port a conversation which he overheard
going on between the Turkish soldiers
who were guarding his door. Their state-
ments were to the effect that their officers
had ordered them at a given signal to
massacre the Armenians. The correspon-
dent then relates the following incident:

"I had been visiting at the British con-
sulate with Mr. Chambers Sunday after-
noon, Nov. 3, when the new outbreak broke
place. The Armenians again crowded to
the American school. A number of per-
sons were killed on that day, the esti-
mates ranging from 18 to 63. The scenes
in the cemeteries where the victims have
been buried by the authorities have been
heartrending. On Nov. 7 I visited all of
the ruined bazaars, going as far as Serai,
but during the entire journey I did not
see a single Christian."

Great Bazaar Opened.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—The annual
banquet of the board of trade last night
was one of the most successful affairs of
the sort ever given in this city. The oc-
casion may be regarded as the formal open-
ing of the Philadelphia Bourse build-
ing, which is said to be the greatest
business structure in this country, if not
in the world. Three hundred of the city's
representative men gathered in the hand-
some and beautifully decorated main hall
of the building, and after discussing the
elaborate menu, listened to speeches from
distinguished orators.

Probable Disappointment in Love.
NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 27.—Arlington
Heights was the scene of a double shoot-
ing affray yesterday afternoon which will
result in the death of Thomas Colt, a
photographer of New York city, and the
possible maiming for life of Miss Carrie
Plate, whose life Colt made a desperate,
but futile, effort to end before he fled a
bullet into his own. Miss Plate is
24 years old. Colt met Miss Plate some
years ago, and it is stated, has been a
frequent visitor at her home, and it is be-
lieved that the shooting was the outcome
of a love affair.

Intends to Sue.
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—Schooner
Joseph W. Foster, which was detained on
suspicion of violating the neutrality laws,
will sail for Port Tampa as soon as the
weather becomes favorable. Captain
Wheaton will remain here as he is proceed-
ing against the Spanish government for
damages for illegal detention and de-
famation of character.

More Room Needed.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—By directions
of Assistant Secretary Hamlin, the super-
vising architect of the treasury will soon
go to Boston and make an examination
and report upon the question of a new ap-
praisers' storehouse. The present quar-
ters are inadequate and unfit for the
purpose.

In Cuba's Detail.
BARCELONA, Nov. 27.—Republican lead-
ers have decided to call a great mass meet-
ing for the purpose of condemning the
policy of the government in Cuba. It is
proposed to issue a manifesto demanding
autonomy for Cuba as a sure means of
concluding the war on the island.

Threats Not Carried Out.
NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The threat made
by J. B. & J. M. Cornell and by Mil-
iken Bros. to fill the places of 500 strik-
ing housemiths yesterday was not carried
out. Hence no sympathetic strikes were
ordered.

Injured Proved Fatal.
LAGOONIA, N. H., Nov. 27.—John J. Pilla-
bury, a prominent citizen of Tilton, died
yesterday, aged 67, as the result of being
thrown from his carriage. He was the
senior proprietor of the Tilton mill.

Against Consolidation.
NEW HAVEN, Nov. 27.—At a special
election held in wards 13, 14 and 15,
the outlying wards of the city, it was
voted by a majority of 65 not to consoli-
date with the city.

Burge Defeated.
LONDON, Nov. 27.—A 20-round contest
for £700 took place between Jim Smith
and Dick Burge here last night. Smith
won in the ninth round, Burge being dis-
qualified.

Body Identified.
PROVIDENCE, Nov. 27.—The man who
called himself Joseph J. Moran, who died
last Sunday in the Burnside lodging house,
was Patrick McGrath of Norwich, Conn.

Lat 60th Fine.
ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 27.—The board
of revenue disposed of the cases against
the liquor dealers accused of buying am-
gled rum by assessing fines averaging \$280.
The prisoners in the penitentiary confined
on the charge of smuggling expect to be
released on similar terms.

Tug Sunk.
BUFFALO, Nov. 27.—While the steamer
Syracuse was being towed into the harbor
she became unmanageable, and out the
tug Elk almost in two. The captain and
crew of the tug escaped by jumping. The
Elk sank almost immediately.

UNCLE SAM INSOLVENT

Senator Lodge Declares It Is Due to
the Wilson Tariff.United States' Loss Has Been
England's Gain.Immigration, the Turkish Question and Monroe
Doctrines Receive Attention.

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—The Republicans of
Massachusetts last evening tendered a
complimentary banquet to Chairman
George H. Lyman and the officers of the
Republican state committee. The large
dining hall of the American House had
been elaborately decorated for the oc-
casion with bunting depending from the
ceiling and sides of the room and the
tables were brilliant with glass candelabra.

It was intended that the affair should be
informal, but when it became known that
Senator Lodge, just back from his Euro-
pean outing, was to be present, there was
considerable interest shown in the event,
and every one of the 250 gentlemen gath-
ered from all over the state were on the
qui vive to hear what the honorable gen-
tleman might have to say.

And when it came to the foreign policy
of the present administration his re-
marks were received with unbounded
applause. His views on tariff affairs and
immigration were also pleasing to his
hearers.

W. S. McCall presided, and the speakers
included Governor Greenhalge, Senator
Lodge, Congressman Barrett, Morse and
Stimms, Mayor Curran, Curtis Guild,
Jr., E. B. Hayes, G. A. Marden, G. V. L.
Mayer, I. P. Hutchinson and other promi-
nent party leaders.

Previous to the banquet a reception was
held. Congressman McCall paid a tribute
to the worth of Chairman Lyman in the
past campaign.

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"The Democratic party appears to be
unpopular, but in what little I have to
say about it I am not going to discuss it
among the dead or dying. People in the
United States don't like the Wilson tariff
bill. It is popular, however, in England,
and is very popular on the continent.
The question that I was asked most fre-
quently while abroad was what we were
going to do about the tariff. The town of
Bradford, in England, has been a hard
struggle with the Wilson tariff. I have
no ill-feeling against Bradford, but would
prefer those woolens be made in Massa-
chusetts."

"I don't purpose to discuss the currency
question at this time, for with a Republi-
can house there is no danger; the danger
lies in gold exports, which is owing to the
excess of imports made possible by the
Wilson tariff, which must be paid for in
addition to the natural drainage. When
summer opened there was a revival of
business, and Democratic organs cried the
boom has come, with the result that the
imports have been excessive, and at this
moment the United States, the richest on
earth, is insolvent."

"Such a condition is a disgrace. The
people are ready to pay the debts, and do
not wish to live on forced loans, and the
first duty of the government is to pass a
bill which will give us a balance instead
of a deficit in the national treasury, and
if such a bill does not pass, the responsi-
bility will rest upon President Cleveland."

"Immigration also demands a few words
from me. It is a subject which is of great
importance to us. We have done all we can by the
law to keep out criminals and paupers and in-
sane persons, but more restriction is in
my judgment needed. The intelligent re-
striction of immigration should be one of
the first works of congress. That which
is most important to a nation is its na-
tional character. The grant of citizenship
to people has been till within recent
times a blending of English stock, but
there has been a change, and careful legis-
lation is necessary to prevent the inroads
of any element that will not amalgamate
with our institutions."

"With reference to the foreign policy of
the United States, I will say that the true
foreign policy is a real one, but yet
simple. It is to guard American citizens
and protect American property wherever
it may be found and to exact for Ameri-
can citizens and the American flag what
respect. It is not for us to say what
shall be done with Turkey; all that con-
cerns us is to say that whether we are one
of the treaty powers or not, if one of our
citizens should be injured, treated is-
should be the first duty of the American
government to send the white squadron to
Constantinople. We do say that no
American citizen shall suffer in the anar-
chy that Turkey is passing through, and
we will exact the last reckoning even if
American guns have to be heard on the
streets of Turkey."

The Monroe doctrine was also referred
to by Senator Lodge. He said: "We
want no European powers to establish
new governments or take new territories
in this hemisphere. We do not meddle
with them nor do we want them to med-
dle with us. Today in Europe, owing to
the vacillating of the past four years, they
do not believe what we say, and they
never will believe it until we put a new
administration in the White House."

Endeavors at a Banquet.
BOSTON, Nov. 27.—The completion of all
business relating to the great Christmas
Endeavor convention held here in July
was observed last night by a banquet at
the Hotel Brunswick, at which the com-
mittee of 18 sat down, and on rising, dis-
cussed the progress of the convention. The
Baker were the guests. On this occasion
the committee submitted a report and treas-
urer made their report. The total re-
ceipts were \$23,732.78, with contributions
in labor and material nearly \$1000 more.
The total expenditures were \$22,286.65,
leaving a balance of \$1,446.13. Each mem-
ber was presented with a Christian End-
eavor jewel badge by President Clark,
and there were other exchanges of souve-
nirs of the convention and speeches con-
gratulatory of the members.

A Good Move.
BOSTON, Nov. 27.—Samuel W. McCall
has been selected to introduce into the
house of representatives the bill prepared
by the Immigration Restriction league to
further restrict immigration. This bill
adds to the clauses at present excluded

the United States: "All persons be-
tween the ages of 14 and 89 who cannot
both read and write the English language
or some other language. This provision
will keep out about 20 per cent of the
most undesirable immigrants who now
come here. Senator Lodge has been
selected to introduce the bill into the sen-
ate."

Fully in Theatricals.
BOSTON, Nov. 27.—A meeting was held
in the Bijou theater yesterday to organize
a movement for elevating the stage. The
plan is to lease some theater in Boston for
a short season, and give a series of theat-
rical performances, the plays to be
selected from the French, Italian and Ger-
man schools. The pieces are to be pre-
sented by a carefully selected company of
players, and it is proposed to form a cor-
poration without capital or personal li-
abilities, to be known as "The Standard
Company of Actors." The profits are to
be devoted to charity.

A Matter of Form.
BOSTON, Nov. 27.—The bondsmen of
Rev. Frank H. Smith surrounded their
charge in the United States circuit court
yesterday. The defendant was then given
into the charge of United States Marshal
Swift, who appointed S. B. Smith, brother
of the defendant, as special United States
deputy marshal, to take charge of the
latter until his commitment to the fed-
eral asylum at Washington. Mr. Smith
will be taken to Washington as soon as
the necessary papers have been received
here.

Diphtheria Spreading.
JOHNSTON, R. I., Nov. 27.—The warm
weather of the past few days has caused
the further spread of the diphtheria epi-
demic in this vicinity. Two deaths oc-
curred within the past 24 hours, one of
them being that of Dr. Ralph Shaw of
Thornton, a physician, who had done all
he could to relieve the stricken families
since the outbreak. Dr. J. Perkins of the
Rhode Island state board of health is ad-
ministering antitoxin in the infected dis-
trict.

Somerville's Sensation.
SOMERVILLE, Mass., Nov. 27.—The alder-
manic committee, which has been hearing
the charges against City Engineer Eaton,
met last night, but in view of the suicide
of Eaton, it was recommended that the
board of aldermen dismiss the committee.
Many believe the Eaton case innocent of
the charges, but since they have been
made, the American board of civil engi-
neers will continue the investigation.

Commission Kept Busy.
BOSTON, Nov. 27.—The annual report of
the Massachusetts civil service commis-
sion shows that during the past year 119
examinations have been held for state and
Boston positions. They include examina-
tions for every sort of position from the
clerical service to janitorships. The total
number of persons who have been exam-
ined for positions the past year is 2918, of
which 1351 passed.

Notice to Mariners.
BOSTON, Nov. 27.—Captain Wing of the
steamer Hindoo, which reached port yester-
day, reports a sighting the schooner
Motus Vivendi of St. John's, N. F., in
lat. 50.23 N., long. 12.10 W. The wreck is
in the track of transatlantic steamers.
The Motus Vivendi was bound from
Bristol, Eng., for Harbor Grace, N. F., and
her crew was picked up by the steamer
Berlin.

The West End Record.
BOSTON, Nov. 27.—The West End Street
Railway company, according to law, yes-
terday made a return of the number of
accidents occurring on the road during the
year ending Sept. 30. The company re-
ports that there were 1059 persons injured
on its road during the year, and 12 persons
were killed.

Cooper Bros.' foundry and machine
shop, Cortland, N. Y., was destroyed by
fire.

John H. Kase, president of the Fire-
men's insurance company, died at New-
ark, N. J.

Cardinal Tied the Knot.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The first of the
weddings in Senator Gorman's household
took place today. The first bride among
the handsome sisters is Miss Daisy Gor-
man, third daughter of Senator and Mrs.
Gorman, who today married Richard
Johnson, eldest son of the late E. K.
Johnson. Cardinal Gibbons performed
the ceremony, as the bridegroom is a
Catholic.

Sovereign Punishment Merited.
NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Walter L. S.
Langerman, a lawyer, whose sensational
trial for criminal assault has created a
stir in this city for the past week, was con-
victed yesterday afternoon. The jury re-
turned a verdict of "guilty of rape in the
first degree." The extreme penalty for
this offense is 30 years' imprisonment.
Barbara Aub was the complainant.

Enemies of Turks.
ATHENS, Nov. 27.—The Macedonian
students have appointed a committee to
collect subscriptions for the purpose of
aiding the Macedonian cause in the event
of certain emergencies and possible trouble
with the Turks arising. A large sum has
already been collected for the purpose of
helping the Macedonians.

Lucky Six.
LONDON, Nov. 27.—The Times announces
that the six survivors of the
American ship Belle O'Brien of Thomaston,
Me., owned by E. O'Brien, which foundered
100 miles N.W. of Kerry Head, are Colton, Ellis, Olsem, Vassburg,
Syssberg and Kirsdale.

Destitute Newfoundlanders.
ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 27.—It is reported
that much destitution prevails along the
northern coast, and the government will
dispatch provisions for the relief of the
sufferers.

Nothing in It.
HALIFAX, Nov. 27.—Private advices from
St. John's, N. F., state that the story of
the "scuttling" syndicate turns out to be a
mare's nest.

Cattle Receipts and Quotations.
Amount of live stock on the markets at
Brighton and Watertown:

	Cattle.	Sheep and Lambs.	Pigs.
Western	2,537	10,177	34,077
Massachusetts	208	588	41
Maine	111	318	10
New Hampshire	281	630	42
Vermont	117	8,214	64
Michigan	4	461	1
Canada	—	3,708	—
Totals	3,263	12,444	34,217

Prices for market beef—A few choices, \$6.00
6.00; extra, \$5.50; first quality, \$5.25; 2d
second quality, \$4.90; 3d quality, \$4.60; 4th
4th for store cattle—Working oxen, \$4
\$4.50; 1st; farrow cows, \$3.00; 2d; fancy
cows, \$2.00; 3d; milk cows, \$1.50; 4th; 5th;
yearlings, \$1.10; 2-year-olds, \$1.20; 3-year-
olds, \$1.30.

Western fat swine—Live, \$3.00; 3-year-
old, \$3.50; 4-year-old, \$4.00; 5-year-
old, \$4.50; 6-year-old, \$5.00; 7-year-
old, \$5.50; 8-year-old, \$6.00; 9-year-
old, \$6.50; 10-year-old, \$7.00; 11